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Fifty-eight indictments have been returned against public officials by the grand jury at Bay City, Mich.

Venezuela is in sore straits, with the English pushing in upon her boundaries on one side and France bulldozing on the other. Is there not some way to order these landgrabbing nations out of Spanish America? asks the Bath Herald.

"We sincerely trust," says the New York Advertiser, "that the canonizing of Abraham Lincoln by Mr. Watterson will in no way strain the cordial relations which have heretofore existed between Mr. Watterson and the South." Why don't the Advertiser jump overboard.

The Paris dressmaker Doucet, who recently gave a Mrs. Leris credit for 11,000 francs' worth of dresses in two years, has had his bill cut down to 6,000 francs by the court on the ground that he had no right to be a party to an extravagance beyond the means of his customer.

THE BATTLE OF HAMPTON ROADS.

The illustrated lecture of Mr. O. H. Hasker, of Richmond, delivered in the city Thursday evening, on the subject of The Battle of Hampton Roads, or the Operations of the Confederate Ironclad Virginia (Merrimack) with the Federal fleet and Monitor, deserves more than passing notice. The lecturer, Mr. C. H. Hasker, was the boatswain of the Virginia during the memorable engagements, and he presents a fund of material sustained by irrefragable proof demonstrating that the Virginia was the victor in her contests with the Monitor. The proof comes not alone from the lecturer's own observation, but from evidence furnished by both Confederate and Federal authorities.

Mr. Hasker has been influenced in the preparation of his lecture by the high motive of correcting the false and erroneous statement found in the histories now in such great use in our schools. The truth should be known, and THE VIRGINIAN expresses the hope that Mr. Hasker will deliver his lecture in every city and town in the South, and that he will not fail to visit the North in vindication of the truth. This is what the people want. Wherever he goes THE VIRGINIAN bespeaks for him a generous hearing. The lecture is deeply interesting.

NEWSPAPER MEN NOT WANTED.

It is quite evident that Gen. Campos, the commander of the Spanish forces in Cuba, does not love that class of newspaper men known as reporters over much. He has announced that all reporters who visit the insurgents will be shot when they return to the Spanish lines. It is not probable, however, that any reporters will be shot, nor is it believed that the order was issued for any purpose other than to prevent them from going within the insurgents' lines and then making known to the world how well they are really prospering. These reporter fellows are great people in their way, and it is not strange that Gen. Campos should be displeased with their ubiquity.

In Spain the reporters are used to this kind of talk, and generally heed such orders as men in Campos' position give them, but in America they are made of sterner stuff, and no order of the kind, however severe, will be heeded. It is but their up-to-date processes, while men from getting there is any flying

ADmiral Meade's Retirement.

Rear Admiral Meade has been permitted to retire from the navy despite his utterances in regard to the status of the administration, but not however, without a rebuke from President Cleveland. No doubt he is impressed with the belief that he has done a smart thing, but it is greatly to be doubted whether there are any proper thinking people in the country who agree with him.

To say the least, Rear Admiral Meade was guilty of gross disrespect to the President, and whatever may be the personal opinion of men generally, the American people, as a mass, do not take kindly to those who wilfully affront the President of the nation and this is what Rear Admiral Meade did, and without reason.

Unconquered.
However strong and skilled art thou, my foe,
However fierce is thy relentless hate,
Though from thy hand and sure thy aim and straight
Thy poisoned arrows leave the bended bow
To pierce the target of my heart, ah, know
I am the master yet of my own fate.
Thou canst not rob me of my chief estate,
Though fortune, fame and friends—yea, love—
Shall go.
Not to the dust shall my true self be hurled,
Nor shall I meet thy worst assaults dismayed.
When all things in the balance are well weighed,
There is but one great danger in the world.
Thou canst not force my soul to wish thee ill—
There only lies the evil that can kill.

To Give or to Take.
I hold him great who for love's sake
Can give with generous, earnest will,
Yet he who takes for love's sweet sake
I think I hold more generous still.
I bow before the noble mind
That freely some great wrong forgives,
Yet nobler is the one forgiven
Who bears that burden well and lives.
—Adelaide Procter.

It's Ready Made.
A Republican organ notes with glee that the Republicans are not engaged in forming a new party. Why should they? The Populist party is only a few years old.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



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